IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

RICHARD BALTER, et al.,

Defendants.

RICHARD BALTER,

Petitioner,

V.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Respondent.

Criminal No. 93-536-01 (JBS) & Civil No. 08-1475 (JBS)

ORDER

This matter having come before the Court upon Petitioner's request for a writ of mandamus [Civil No. 08-1475, Docket Item 1], Petitioner's request for appointment of counsel [Civil No. 08-1475, Docket Item 10], and Petitioner's motion for discovery [Criminal No. 93-536-01, Docket Item 20]; the Court having considered the submissions of the parties; for the reasons explained in the Opinion of today's date; and for good cause shown;

IT IS this <u>29th</u> day of March, 2010 hereby

ORDERED that the petition for writ of mandamus [Civil No.

08-1475, Docket Item 1], Petitioner's request for appointment of counsel [Civil No. 08-1475, Docket Item 10], and Petitioner's motion for discovery [Criminal No. 93-536-01, Docket Item 20] are all **DENIED**; and it is further

ORDERED that the Clerk of Court shall close these dockets.

s/ Jerome B. Simandle

JEROME B. SIMANDLE United States District Judge